

Mountain View Police Department SPECIAL BULLETIN



* CITIZEN NOTIFICATION *

11/2/2004



In the early morning hours of August 2, 2004, a residential burglary occurred in the 1400 block of Ernestine Lane in Mountain View. The suspect entered the residence through an **UNLOCKED DOOR** and confronted an 11 year old female resident. The victim was able to retreat into her bedroom and the suspect fled from the residence. Fortunately, the victim was not injured.

A similar incident occurred in the 300 block of N. Clark Avenue in Los Altos during the early morning hours of October 30, 2004. This incident also involved a suspect entering the residence through an **UNLOCKED DOOR** and confronting a young female resident.

The suspect is described as a Hispanic Male, 30's, 5' 8", average to below average build, moustache, and medium complexion.

The Mountain View and Los Altos Police Departments are working together to identify and apprehend the suspect in these incidents. The assistance of the community is important in helping to solve the crime(s).

If you have any information about the incidents please call the Mountain View Police Investigations Division at (650) 903-6348 or if you witness an in-progress crime or suspicious incident call the Mountain View Police Dispatch.

LOCK YOUR DOORS AND WINDOWS, REPORT SUSPICIOUS PERSONS, VEHICLES OR INCIDENTS

See reverse side for additional crime prevention tips

Emergency Dial 9-1-1
Police Non-Emergency (650) 903-6395
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The Mountain View Police Department offers free home security inspections to provide you tips on keeping your home secure. To schedule an inspection please call (650) 903-6707. The Police Department also offers presentations on home security. Check your local newspapers and the MVPD website at www.mvpd.gov for announcements.

Home Security Tips:

- * LOCK YOUR DOORS AND WINDOWS
- * REPORT SUSPICIOUS PERSONS, VEHICLES OR INCIDENTS
- * KEEP WINDOW COVERINGS CLOSED DURING NIGHT-TIME HOURS
- * TEACH YOUR CHILDREN PERSONAL SAFETY AND HOME SECURITY TECHNIQUES
- * DO NOT OPEN YOUR DOOR TO STRANGERS, USE THE DOOR PEEP HOLE AND TALK THROUGH THE DOOR
- * LOCK SIDE YARD GATES
- * USE MOTION DETECTION LIGHTING TO ALERT YOU OF AN INTRUDER

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